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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116(a)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 10, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.